GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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PERMANENT CONSTRUCTION ON INDO-PAK BORDER
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal for permanent construction on Indo-Pak Border to check the menace of terrorism in Kashmir;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the estimated expenditure likely to be incurred on this proposal?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE)

(a) to (c): There is no proposal for permanent construction on Indo-Pak Border. 734 kilometres length of fence has been constructed by the Army along the Line of Control at a cost of approximately Rs. 315 crore.